PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET NO. 2005-352-W

Total Environmental Solutions, Inc. ("TESI") has petitioned the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") for approval of a Water Supply Agreement with the City of Westminster, South Carolina ("Contract").

According to TESI's Petition, TESI is informed and believes that, from at least as early as the 1980s, water utilities serving the Foxwood Hills Subdivision have purchased water in bulk from either the Westminster Commission of Public Works, or the City of Westminster, (collectively, "Westminster"). Westminster has always provided this bulk water to the Foxwood Hills operation without a written contract.

Over the past several months, TESI has sought and obtained a Water Supply Agreement with the City of Westminster. TESI did this in part because the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control ("DHEC") requested TESI to do so, and in part to provide TESI and its customers with the certainty associated with such a contractual agreement. TESI is informed and believes that the Contract is in the public interest, since it establishes an additional degree of certainty in Westminster's provision of bulk water to TESI which, in turn, adds further stability to TESI's provision of water service to its customers.

A copy of the Company's Petition can be obtained from the Commission at the following address: Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Docketing Department, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210. Additionally, the Petition is available on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov. and is available from John F. Beach, Esquire, Ellis Lawhorne & Sims, P.A., Post Office Box 2285, Columbia, SC 29202.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina in the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Petition. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **December 7**, **2005**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket No. 2005-352-W*.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below, Office of Regulatory Staff, Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211 and John Beach, Esquire, at the above address, on or before **December 7, 2005,** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. *Please refer to Docket No. 2005-352-W*.

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Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before **December 7**, **2005**. *Please refer to Docket No. 2005-352-W*.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina Attn: Docketing Department Post Office Drawer 11649 Columbia, South Carolina 29211

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